

# BRITISH CAPTURE LA BOISELLE; ALLIES DRIVE FORWARD

## Judge Stuart Complains to Wilson

### RESIGNATION MAY BE IN LETTER TO PRESIDENT TODAY

If So, It Will Be Accepted, Says Washington Correspondent of Star-Bulletin; Jurist Calls at White House in Morning

### ATTACKS SAID TO HIT AT PINKHAM, GREGORY, LANE AND FEW OTHERS

**Bitter Criticism of Cabinet Members, Governor and Territorial Bench Supposed to Be Vented**

(Special Star-Bulletin Cable)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 3.—Circuit Judge Thomas B. Stuart of Honolulu called at the executive offices of the White House to see the president this morning or to leave a message for him. He left a letter for Mr. Wilson marked "personal." It is said this letter contains Judge Stuart's resignation. If so, the resignation will be promptly accepted when it reaches the department of justice.

The letter is said to criticize bitterly Attorney-general Gregory, Secretary of the Interior Lane, Governor Pinkham, Chief Justice A. G. M. Robertson of the territorial supreme bench, and Circuit Judge W. L. Whitney of the Oahu bench.

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### HUGE SUM ADDED TO NEW ARMY BILL

\$146,000,000 Increase Over Measure As It Left House Made By Senate Committee; Ordered Reported

(Associated Press by Federal Wireles)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 3.—The army appropriation bill, revised by the senate military affairs committee, was today approved by the committee and ordered reported to the senate. As it is to be reported, the bill carries a total of \$328,000,000, an increase of \$146,000,000 over the bill as it passed the house.

### PRINCIPALS OF OTHER ISLANDS HOLD MEETING

Later this afternoon the supervising principals of public schools in the other islands were still in session discussing many important subjects chief among which is uniformity in crediting teachers in the various districts. G. S. Raymond, inspector general of schools, and H. W. Kliney, superintendent of public instruction, are presiding.

Today's meeting is the first of its kind held here and may continue tomorrow. Among those present are Supervising Principals Miss Bertha Ben Taylor, West Hawaii; Eugene Hower, East Hawaii; William McCleskey, Maui; James A. Davis, Oahu; Miss Bernice Hundley, principal-elect of Kauai, and E. E. Brodie, formerly territorial school laws; equipment due to efforts since last report; register, daily lesson plan and program and care and correction of pupils' written work.

Francis M. Dodge was appointed forest ranger for Hawaii at the last meeting of the board of agriculture and forestry. This is the fifth ranger to be appointed by the board.

At the same meeting the research and plant inspection divisions of the agricultural department were organized.

## Late News At A Glance

IRISHMEN BACK REDMOND TO SOLVE NATIONAL PROBLEM. DUBLIN, Ireland, July 3.—The National Directory of the United Irish League, with John Redmond presiding, today agreed to accept David Lloyd George's proposal for a solution of the Irish question.

WILL RECOMMEND CIRCLE DRIVE OUTLET. Circle Drive will be the recommended outlet for Punalu to the supervisors by the road committee at the supervisors' meeting tonight. The committee Sunday decided to back up the City Planning Commission, which after many months of discussion decided on the first road advocated as the proper outlet for the district.

This information came to the Star-Bulletin from an authoritative source this afternoon. Members of the road committee refused to reveal their stand.

WEATHER BUREAU PROPHECIES SHOWERS ON FOURTH. Vacationists tomorrow should take their raincoats and umbrellas as the weather man does not hold out prospects of a clear day. Showers all day tomorrow are likely. So far this month up to 2:30 this afternoon 26 inches had fallen. The humidity at 8 this morning was 92 and at noon 79.

HARBOR BOARD CHANGES MEETING HOUR. At 11 o'clock Wednesday morning the board of harbor commissioners will meet in regular session. Instead of at 1:30 o'clock that day. Regular business will be transacted.

The board will open bids on lumber for repairing Pier 16, at 2 o'clock next Monday afternoon.

OLAA RECOVERS AFTER EXCHANGE SESSION. At 2:30 this afternoon \$20 was being bid by several brokers for Olan Sugar Company shares. Following the session there were sales at \$1.62 and up until shortly before 2:30 the recovery had reached 50 cents a share from the lowest sale at the session.

ORIENTAL COMPETITION FOR RICE LANDS KEEN. With Chinese bidding against Japanese and their fellow-countrymen for choice rice-growing and other lands, the auction of territorial land leases held shortly after noon today at the capitol resulted in good prices. Hee Fat was the highest bidder of anyone there, bidding \$560 a year for the Kapua rice lot at Puna, Kauai. Wong Ping Hee bid \$556 a year for a pond at Ewa, Oahu, of 22 acres. Bidding on this place started at \$225. W. A. Engel, chief clerk of the land office, was auctioneer. Leases ranged from 5 to 21 years. Several places leased as low as \$40.

### BASEBALL RESULTS TODAY

NATIONAL LEAGUE	
At Boston—Boston 5, Philadelphia 1.	
At New York—New York 1, Brooklyn 6.	
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh 3, Chicago 0.	
At St. Louis—Postponed on account of rain.	
AMERICAN LEAGUE	
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 6, Detroit 4.	
At Cleveland—Cleveland 4, Boston 0.	
At Chicago—Chicago 3, St. Louis 2.	
At New York—New York 1, Washington 0.	

### BALTIC BATTLE NOT DECISIVE, DESPATCH SHOWS

First official announcement from Berlin concerning the naval battle in the Baltic, vaguely reported last week from London, came in a cablegram yesterday morning. The cablegram says:

"Berlin, Germany, July 1.—During the night of June 29-30 German torpedo boats between Haferlinge and Landsort attacked with torpedoes Russian naval forces, composed of one armored cruiser, one protected cruiser and five destroyers, who were apparently sent out to disturb German merchant vessels. After a short engagement the Russian forces withdrew. In spite of violent shelling by the Russians, on the German side there were neither losses nor damage."

### Two Oahu Officers Named For Colonel

(Associated Press by Federal Wireles)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 3.—Officers of the Hawaiian Department, Oahu, receive promotions under the new army corps organization bill as it is received by the senate.

At the head of the list of promotions is the name of Brig.-gen. Albert L. Mills, now chief of the division of militia affairs. He is to be a brigadier-general.

The following colonels are nominated to be brigadier-generals: Charles G. Morton, Grand Army of the Republic, George A. Dodd, Edward Plummer, Clarence Townsley.

The following lieutenant-colonels are nominated to be colonels: John E. McMahon, James M. Arrasmith, William H. Johnston, Benjamin W. Atkinson.

Col. McMahon is with the 1st Field Artillery, Schofield, and Col. Atkinson with the 2d Infantry, Fort Shafter.

### TWO REGIMENTS TO BE ORGANIZED ON OAHU AT ONCE

Orders Received Yesterday for 9th Heavy Field Artillery and 32nd Infantry

Cable orders announcing the personnel of the two new regular army regiments to be organized on Oahu, the 9th Heavy Field Artillery and the 32nd Infantry, were received Sunday from the War Department in Washington and made public today by the Hawaiian Department.

Commanding officers of both new regiments are army men well known on Oahu. Col. John E. McMahon, formerly of the 1st Field Artillery, will command the 9th, while the 32d will be headed by Col. Benjamin W. Atkinson, formerly of the 2d Infantry.

An Associated Press despatch today told of the nominations of both these officers for full colonelcies.

Second in command of the 9th is Lieut.-col. William S. Guignard, formerly of the 1st Field Artillery, while the 32d's lieutenant colonel is Michael J. Lennihan, now chief of staff at Hawaiian Department headquarters here.

According to department headquarters today the officers of both regiments are practically all now residing on Oahu. The troops for both regiments will be taken from army organizations already here.

The order announcing the regiment's personnel reads as follows:

### NEW YORK STOCK MARKET TODAY

Following are the closing prices of stocks on the New York market today, sent by the Associated Press over the Federal Wireles:	
	Satur. day.
Alaska Gold	18 1/2
American Smelter	94 1/2
American Sugar Rfg.	109 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	128 1/2
Anconda Copper	82 1/2
Atchafalca	105 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	71 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	89 3/4
Bethlehem Steel	44 1/2
Calif. Petroleum	15 1/4
Canadian Pacific	180 1/2
C. & N. W. (St. Paul)	98 1/4
Colo. Fuel & Iron	42 1/2
Crucible Steel	72 3/4
Erie Common	36 1/2
General Electric	164 1/2
General Motors	120 1/2
Great Northern Pfd.	120 1/2
Inter. Harv. N. J.	112 1/2
Kennecott Copper	48 1/2
Lehigh R. R.	78 1/2
New York Central	105 1/4
Pennsylvania	58 1/2
Ray Consol.	22 1/2
Southern Pacific	87 1/2
Studebaker	135 1/2
Tennessee Copper	35 1/2
Union Pacific	86 1/4
U. S. Steel Pfd.	117 1/2
Utah	77 1/2
Western Union	93 1/2
Westinghouse	57 3/4

## SECOND TEUTON LINE MEETING FURIOUS ASSAULT; FRENCH CLAIM TWO SERIES OF TRENCHES TAKEN FOR THREE MILES

### Germany's Official Statements Assert "Drive" Proves Costly

German official cable despatches of July 1 do not admit any serious advance by either British or French on the west line, though the London official claims of the same date declared that in some places progress as much as five miles had been made. The German despatch of July 1, which arrived yesterday morning, said:

"GERMAN HEADQUARTERS, July 1.—Anglo-French reconnoitering detachments today tried advances repeatedly in numerous places and also during the night but were everywhere repulsed. Much prisoners and material remained in our hands at several points.

"The advances were begun by a strong artillery fire and by gas attacks or bombings. This morning the activity on both sides of the river Somme considerably increased. North of Rheims and north of Lemesnil smaller infantry detachments were repulsed.

"West of the Meuse there were local infantry combats. East of the Meuse the enemy tried to reconquer our positions on the Froide Terre and on near Thiaumont. As in the attacks on June 22 and 23 against Douaumont, strong masses of infantry were engaged in the storming.

"The enemy is again on ground where there were unimportant local successes which at the beginning of action were rather too hastily officially reported. This announced reconquest of the fortress, while really an attack, everywhere failed under heavy losses for the enemy. In several places the enemy's soldiers reached our lines but were taken prisoners, and it is to be noted that the French entered their former fortress only as prisoners.

"Successful German patrol engagements took place north of the forest of Paroy and west of Senones.

"The German emperor has bestowed the order 'Pour le Merite' upon Lieut. Wingate, and yesterday this lieutenant shot down a French biplane southwest of Chateau Salines. Near Bras an enemy aeroplane was disabled by artillery fire and another put out of action near Thiaumont by machine gun fire. The air attacks against Lille caused no military damage, but there were numerous victims among the civilians, especially in the Church of Saint Lubene. More than 50 dead and wounded were left here, also in Souai, Bapaume, Peronne and Nele numerous French inhabitants were killed and wounded by the French and English fire and air bombs.

"On the east front Gen. von Linsingen's army west of Kolke and southwest of Koni and near Vicoz conquered Russian positions, while

### Damloup Taken By Germans, Then Recaptured, Says Paris Despatch—British Advance East of Ancre—Fighting Intense On Entire English Front—Russian Torpedo Boats Wreak Havoc in Black Sea

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)

LONDON, Eng., July 3.—The remnant of the German garrison which has been desperately defending La Boisselle surrendered this afternoon.

PETROGRAD, Russia, July 3.—The Austrians today attempted to take the offensive on the eastern front but were repulsed with heavy losses.

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE (via London), July 3.—The great combined assault of the British and French on the western battle front continues without diminution of fury today.

The British with alternate artillery fire and infantry charges have advanced further, east of Ancre, and have gained an elevation north of Aricourt for which they have been fighting. The battling continues intensely along virtually the entire British front.

The British have bombarded the stronghold of Thiepval heavily today. The Germans continue to shell Montauban, which was taken by the British, but the latter are well established in the town. South of this point more than 4000 prisoners have been taken by the British.

### Germans Capture Damloup, Then French Charge and Retake Town

PARIS, France, July 3.—Heavy fighting took place today on the section of the Franco-German line east of the Meuse. Here the Germans captured Damloup but the French, by a series of short, sharp charges, cleared away the defenders and regained possession.

The French are pounding heavily the German second line south of the Somme river. The French troops have succeeded in occupying two lines of trenches for a distance of three miles and have captured Harbecourt.

In the north the British are pressing the Germans hard for possession of Bapaume.

### Berlin Denies Allies Have Gained North of Somme; Admits it on South

BERLIN, Germany, July 3.—The German war office today issues an announcement saying that there is a continuation of the French and British drive on both sides of the Somme river, but that north of the river the fighting is without advantage for the Allies.

South of the Somme the Germans have withdrawn a division of troops to a second line position.

### Black Sea Vessels Are Sunk

PETROGRAD, Russia, July 3.—Russian torpedo boats operating in the Black Sea have sunk 54 sailing vessels belonging to enemy nations.

### Allies Taking Strategic Points

LONDON, England, July 3.—Four towns of strategic importance, have been captured by the British and French in the great offensive movement now under way, and the attack continues with unabated fury.

The British forces have captured the village of Fricourt after desperate fighting and have made further progress eastward of that point. At La Boisselle the enemy is resisting desperately. The French have captured the villages of Frise and Mereaucourt, taking more than 6000 unwounded German prisoners.

These four villages are within seven miles of the main railway lines which control the German communications to Cologne.

Furious counter-attacks were made yesterday upon both the British and French new positions. The British headquarters reports that a night attack was repulsed with very heavy losses to the enemy. The British are strengthening their advanced positions and preparing for further attacks.

Paris reports similar efforts on the part of the Germans to recover ground lost by them south of the river Somme. All the attacks resulted in failure.

In Volhynia heavy fighting is going on, the Germans, according to Petrograd, being engaged in desperate counter-attacks on the Czar's army. No report from either Petrograd or Berlin is made of the result of this fighting. It is still in progress, with Russians desperately resisting efforts of the Germans to dislodge them.

More Austrian positions west of the Bukovina, city of Kolomena, have been taken by the Russians by storm, further developing their strategic control of the approaches to the Carpathians. Two thousand Austrian prisoners were taken by the Russians yesterday in these attacks.

### UNITED STATES HAS 21,000,000 OF MILITARY AGE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireles)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 3.—The census bureau made public an estimate today that the United States has 21,000,000 men of military age.

### MOTION SHOULD ASK TO REOPEN JUDGMENT

In the case of Kotaro Takamoto vs. Tsune Horita the supreme court today ruled that where a final judgment has been entered on default the motion to reopen the default must also ask that the judgment be opened.

### U. S. MARINES IN HOT FIGHT, SANTO DOMINGO

(Associated Press by Federal Wireles)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 3.—American marines and Dominican revolutionists clashed near Santiago, Santo Domingo, and one U. S. marine was killed and two wounded by the rifle fire of the rebels, according to news received by the state and navy departments today.

John Lundberg of Worcester is beginning to think that his birthday is a hoodoo. This year he broke a rib, last year he broke a leg, and the year before that he had a crushed foot.

### Big Changes in War Department Plans In Border Matters

Three Departments Being Created; Gen. Wood May Be Placed in Supreme Command

(Associated Press by Federal Wireles)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 3.—Secretary of War Baker today took important steps to decentralize the direct administration of the Mexican boundary matters under the war department.

Three departments are to be created. Gen. Funston is to command the Southern Department, Gen. Pershing to command the Department of New Mexico, and Gen. Franklin Bell to command Arizona and the West.

The plan is said to be the suggestion of efficiency, and probably paves the way for the appointment of a supreme commander. The indications are that Gen. Wood is being considered for this position. It is probable that Pershing, now a brigadier-general, will be promoted. It is announced that the Pershing assignment does not mean that the U. S. punitive expedition is about to be withdrawn.

Late this afternoon Secretary Baker announced that the order creating the New Mexico department, commanded by Gen. Pershing, has been temporarily suspended, pending the adjustment of details of the rearrangement, so that Gen. Pershing may report whether his present field activities will permit him to assume the duties of commander.

It is impossible to see more than about 3000 stars at one time with the naked eye.

FLY THE FLAG ON THE FOURTH.

### Kahului Breakwater, Oahu Road Survey, Items Are Favored

Kuhio Cables Good News Concerning Appropriations for Maui and Oahu

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- Delegate Kuhio cabled to the Chamber of Commerce this morning some splendid news for the territory. Here is the cable-gram:
- "Quarter-million for Kahului, amendment adopted by conference."
- "Senate military committee has inserted army bill \$10,000 for survey of Oahu military roads."
- "The quarter-million for Kahului is to continue work on the big breakwater in the harbor and with the conference report in favor of it will doubtless be adopted by Congress. The other item takes care of the survey of the proposed million-dollar military road around Oahu, which is making good progress before the congressmen. Since the survey item is favored, it looks more than probable that the whole road item will pass."

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COURT HOLDS WORDS ARE SUFFICIENTLY DEFINITE

In the case of Ludwig Weinheimer vs. David K. Kahalo and others the supreme court today held that the words "twenty days after typewriting and filing transcript of evidence by the official court stenographer with the clerk of the court" do not make an order void because of uncertainty.